THE CONVICTION OF SWALM

Senaca Augustus Swalm has been convicted of grand larceny in San Francisco on the charge of stealing

This fellow, who for some years has cut a swell figure in the upper crust of San Francisco society, is a sort of combination of dude, confidence man, thief and libertine. His exploits as a confidence operator have been ventilated over and over again, yet he always seemed quite good enough for San Francisco society, as his many admirers could never be persuaded that such a beautiful, golden blonde could be anything but what he claimed.

He is a type of a class of jackalls who prey on society, and society never seems content to drop them until they slide through the doors of the penitentiary and are lost in the convict stripes.

A PRETTY KETTLE OF PISH.

For some months past the people of San Francisco have been congratulating themselves on the success of the District Atterney in securing convictions in the courts in the cases of various notable scoundreis. Several murderers, thugs, straw bail men, jury bribers, etc., bave been convicted, and law-abiding men were happy.

Now the discovery is made that this particular Court where the trials were held had no jurisdiction, and hence all these rascals will be set at liberty.

The lawyers for the defense probably knew this all the while, hence the "unmoved" appearance of the prisoners when convicted.

Strike in Genea Canyon.

Local prospectors have again struck pay rock in Genoa Canyon. Charlie Allen uncovered a full grown quartz ledge last Wednesday and brought part of it to tewn. After pounding up the rock in a hand mortar and panning it out, Charlie announced that it was extremely rich in gold and carried a large percentage of silver. It is his opinion that before next Fall prospectors and miners will be as thick in Genoa Canyon as the hairs on a blacking brush, and as happy as woodpeckers on a cherry tree. At present operations in the vicinity are confined chiefly to the new discovery, and work is being pushed with all possible haste. One foot of shaft is reported and the size of the vein and quality of rock is improving rapidly as depth is attained. It was rumored last evening that very rich silver ore had been struck on the lower levels. Charlie estimates the value of the discovery at \$1,000,000. -Courier.

A Liberal German.

The proprietor of the Friedricksburg Brewery in San Francisco declined to half-most the German flag on the death of Kaiser William on the grounds that he had become a citizen of the United States, and was no longer a subject of the German Empire.

The Germans began to boycott his beer, but the more liberal of his countrymen and the Americans of San Francisco are standing right in delivered, Free of Charge. and drinking the Friedricksburg beer.

The act of the brewery proprietor simply shows that he is a more liberal minded person than his unthinking countrymen and more fitted to assume the responsibilities of American citizenship.

Counterfeit Silver Certificates.

Counterfeit five dollar silver certificates are in circulation in the East, and doubtless some of them will reach Nevada. It is said to be the best counterfeit ever seen in Chicago, and is such a good imitation of the genuine that the officers of the First National Bank in that city prononneed it good. The Treasury officials at Washington, however, have discovered several defects in the bill, the chief one being the absence of the wart on the side of General Grant's nose, which appears in the genuine.

-The largest armory and drilling hall in the Northwest is to be erected at Scattle.

-A fire at Arlington, Oregon, Wednesday evening, caused a loss of \$30,000 to \$55,000.

-Arrangements have been made looking to the establishment of a line of freight ships between Australia and Portland direct.

-A company has been formed in Fresno to develop extensive coal, \$6,000 worth of diamonds from Mc- gypsum, and ashestos beds, said to exist on the west side of the country, near the Coast Range mountains.

> -Charles Lord has sued the Salt Lake Herald for \$25,000 damages for having printed a statement that he had criminally assaulted Lizzie Grant, a half-witted girl. The defense will endeavor to prove the

-Three hundred and twenty-five men are pushing the construction of the iron works at the Oswego, Or., mines, where \$175,000 has been expended and \$150,000 more will probably be used in completing the plant before the 1st of July.

-Bob Ingersoll says: I have made up my mind that I will never again vote for a man who is not distinguished for something; who hasn't made his mark in some calling; who hasn't got some brains.

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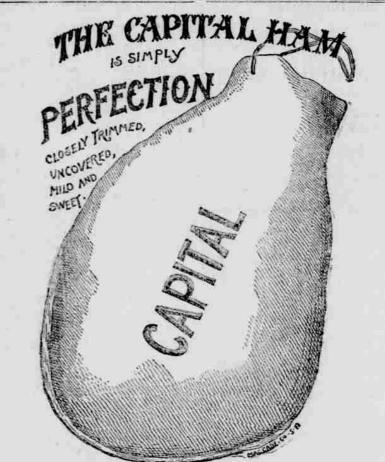
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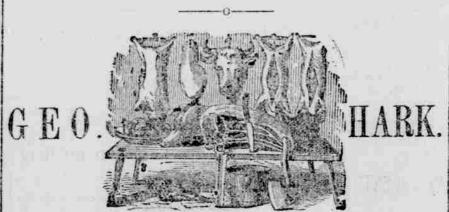


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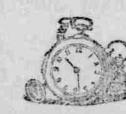


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